

LOCAL MATTERS.

HAPPENINGS IN AND AROUND THE CITY.

GATHERED BY OUR REPORTER.

An Excellent Rendition of "Passion's Slave" Last Night—The Celebrated Actress Myra Goodwin in "Sis" Tomorrow Night.

A large audience greeted "Passion's Slave" at the Opera house last night. The play is an emotional drama abounding in interesting scenes of a sensational character from beginning to end, interspersed with laughable and pretty songs. Each actor and actress performed their parts admirably. The company is a strong one and will draw large crowds wherever they play. Myra Goodwin will appear at the Opera house tonight. Speaking of her the Boston Journal says: "With a sunny face, a merry laugh and a sprightly dance, the maid of the ever twinkling feet, who this week is to be the leading attraction at the Bijou Theatre, appeared upon the stage last night. Miss Myra Goodwin, a young Boston lady, is a pleasing little actress in her particular line, and having chosen a bright and inoffensive subject to dilate upon, with many good jokes and wholesome fun to cause a hearty laugh, will win much favor. "Sis" gives opportunity for some clever work, and although designed especially to display the graceful dancing and easy little voice of the heroine, yet gives opportunity for other characters to carry fun in droll and quaint sayings and doings.

LITTLE LOCALS.

Interesting Items Too Short for Separate Heads.

Mr. J. F. Wingfield, the popular real-estate agent, is suffering from an attack of the gripe. In real estate matters he is famous for his grip.

Manager Beckner, of the opera house, was busy yesterday putting up his bill boards that the violent wind of the night before had blown down.

The city engineer had a force of hands at work yesterday putting down a new sidewalk on Henry street in front of the residence of E. Walsak.

Jas. S. Simmons & Co., real-estate agents, sold yesterday seven lots in West End for \$3,850, and one house and lot on Rorer avenue.

The happy couple who thought cranberries were cherries, made a slight mistake, but will be wiser when they grow older.

At the meeting of the directors of the Rolling mill company yesterday, it was decided to advance the puddlers' wages from \$4 to \$4.35 a ton.

Gent's stiff and felt hats just received at E. Goetz's, 21 Salem-avenue. nov14-

The addition of twenty-five pupils has been made to the Third ward school since the 1st of January, making 300 in all now on the rolls.

Boys and children hats at E. Goetz's, 21 Salem-avenue. nov14-

The total receipts from curbage at the Market house yesterday was \$5.55.

Children's and infant's shoes very cheap at E. Goetz's, 21 Salem-avenue. nov14-

Messrs. W. G. Tucker and J. J. Davis returned yesterday from a very pleasant visit to Bedford county.

Hats, caps and umbrellas at E. Goetz's, 21 Salem-avenue. nov14-

Mr. J. H. Cottrell, foreman at the coal wharf on the Norfolk and Western yards, returned home yesterday with his bride, nee Miss Minnie Boye, of Baltimore.

Some thief stole a quantity of coal and a little express wagon a day or two ago from Mr. Richard Anderson, on Winter street.

Mr. John Hanes, father of Mr. J. O. Hanes, proprietor of the City Hotel, is quite ill.

SPECIAL LOCAL NOTICES.

Gent's fine hand-made shoes at E. Goetz's, 21 Salem-avenue. nov14-

Oysters on the half shell at Catagni's, dec 14th

If you want lots in Hyde Park call at once. nov15 tf

A beautiful stock of Japanese goods have just been received by E. H. Stewart & Co.

Buy your cooking stoves from M. H. Jennings & Co., near market house, Salem avenue.

For fire insurance call at the office of the Roanoke Trust, Loan and Safe Deposit Co. dec28-tf

Antique oak dining and chamber suits in large variety at E. H. Stewart & Co.

Stoves! stoves! stoves! cheaper than ever at M. H. Jennings & Co., Salem avenue, near market house. oct7-tf

Cheap lots on installments, cheap lots for cash, cheap lots usual terms. J. F. Wingfield, insurance and real estate agent.

Pure country lard, sugar-cured hams, breakfast bacon and bologna at Davis & Co.'s. dec20-1m

If you want a good barrel of family flour, go to Davis & Co., grocers, Jefferson street. They keep in stock P. L. Terry's fancy family, Vinton family, Cave Spring family, and Bonasacks No. 1. dec20-1m

Reduction on all heavy suits and overcoats of Jos. Cohn's, the Salem avenue clothier. Now is your chance to get a good suit or overcoat cheap. jan10-tf

Joseph Cohn, the clothier, has just moved into his new quarters No. 44 Salem avenue, George H. Davis' old stand, and has opened up a first-class tailoring establishment in connection, under the management of his cutter, F. H. Ayres. jan10-tf

The largest and best selected stock of suitings and trousers in the city can be found in the tailoring department of Joseph Cohn, the Salem avenue clothier (Geo. H. Davis' old stand). Their artistic cutter, Mr. F. H. Ayres, is now on hand and ready to take your measures. jan10-tf

Finest imported suitings and trousers at Joseph Cohn's, Salem avenue, next door to Rosenbaum's dry goods store. jan10-tf

A Good Bank.
The Commercial National Bank, corner Jefferson street and Third avenue, is the only bank in the city that has a fire-proof vault and time-lock safe. They do a general banking business and make collections on all points. They also pay interest on deposits. jan8-tf

WANTED

HOUSES AND LOTS AT AUCTION.
I will sell by auction on January 15, at 3 p. m., four cottage houses, situated on Norfolk avenue, corner of Camden street, and opposite the Roanoke Machine Works. These houses are good as new and rented at profitable rates. Terms one fourth cash, balance in six, twelve and eighteen months. E. H. WOODSON, jan7-tf

FOR SALE—NEW DWELLING.
Nine rooms, for \$1,550, in monthly payments of \$30. J. F. WINGFIELD, real estate and insurance agent. nov24-tf

FREE—STENOGRAPHY AND
typewriting free. First class facilities and best of teachers. Address, with stamp for return postage, THE PARISH MFG. CO., nov9-tf

LOST—TWO LITTLE FOX TER-
riers; white bodies with black and brown spots, stub tails. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning same to Mr. S. B. Haupt, the owner. jan1-tf

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HORSES furnished on short notice.

Horses boarded by the day, week or

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wedding parties. jan10-tf

AN ORDINANCE.

At a meeting of the council held January 7, 1890, the following ordinance was adopted:

Be it ordained by the council of the city of Roanoke, upon the petition of the Roanoke and Southern Railway company, by its president, filed on the 3rd day of December, 1889,

1. That the sergeant and judges of election for the said city of Roanoke do open a poll at the several voting precincts of said city, on Tuesday, the 11th day of February, 1890, and take the sense of the freehold voters on the question, whether the said council shall be authorized, in the name of and for the use of the city, to cause to be issued, bonds to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars for the purpose of making a second and further subscription to the capital stock of the Roanoke and Southern Railway company.

2. The said election shall be held and the authority to issue said bonds and raise said subscription shall be upon the following terms and conditions, namely:

1. The said council may subscribe for the stock of said company to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars; provided, that the aggregate debt of the city shall not exceed ten per centum of the assessed value of the property, real and personal, within the city limits.

2. That the said company shall within ninety days after the said subscription shall be made, commence to construct its line of road at its terminus within the present city limits of the city of Roanoke, and shall prosecute the same in a bonafide manner with all reasonable diligence to its completion.

3. The bonds of the city of Roanoke shall bear six per centum per annum and shall be redeemable in thirty years, and shall be issued and delivered to the said Roanoke and Southern Railway as follows: Upon the certificate of the chief engineer of said railway of the completion of the grading of each and every mile of said road from Roanoke city southward, the city of Roanoke shall deliver to said railway the bonds of said city to the amount of five thousand dollars and upon like certificate of the engineer for each and every mile of said road when the superstructure is complete, and ready for operation, the said city shall deliver to said railway bonds of said city to the amount of five thousand dollars per mile until the entire sum of \$100,000 is provided for in the ordinance shall be delivered. Upon the delivery of each installment of said bonds to the railway company the said company shall deliver to the said city certificates of stock in said railway to the amount of said bonds.

4. The subscription when made by the city council shall be upon the terms and conditions set forth, and whenever the said company fail to comply with said terms and conditions, then, and in that event, the said subscription, at the option of said city, shall be void.

5. The election shall be held and conducted in the manner provided for under section 1243 and 1244 of the code of Virginia, and the question submitted shall be determined under the provisions of section 50, chapter V, of the charter of said city.

6. The sergeant shall cause a certified copy of this ordinance to be published in the daily papers of this city, and shall post a copy of the same at each of the voting places for thirty days previous to the day of election.

A copy—test.

GEO. L. BENNETT, Clerk.

In obedience to the foregoing order, notice is hereby given that the polls will be opened at the several voting precincts of the city of Roanoke at sunrise on

TUESDAY, February 11, 1890

for a vote to be taken as specified in said order. C. W. THOMAS, Sergeant.

January 9th, 1890. jan10-1m

ROANOKE OPERA HOUSE,

C. W. BECKNER, Manager.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 10th.

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MISS ADA TANNER receives from

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How to Keep Husbands at Home
This subject, although apparently an easy one, is engaging the attention of some of the brightest minds of today. It is one of the most important subjects which can claim the attention of any wife. I shall endeavor to give you my best thoughts on the subject.

A wife's duty is not that of leader, but minister. She should be the guide, the adviser, the "power behind the throne." If she is a true woman, she will endeavor to supply her husband's needs in the best manner possible. It is from her that he should get love, sympathy and encouragement in the great battle of life.

While special cases require special treatment, yet we will take a general view of this subject, which is all we can do in this space.

We find that man possesses a complicated nature—a physical, intellectual, moral and religious nature. In the very nature of the case he will be comparatively happy if these wants are supplied.

We first, then, must base our conclusions on these first principles. We must go farther than the mere trickery of pleasing dress, etc. These must be regarded rather as effects than causes.

First, we should minister to our husband's physical necessities. Of course, this includes everything which relates to his temporal well being. He must have a cheerful, happy home. No reasonable request should be denied. Comfort and even luxuries, as far as possible, should be supplied. Books, music, flowers, pictures, with a happy wife and children, are great powers in the home.

But this is not all. He must have intellectual companionship, and the true wife must furnish it. She must up with the times, and take an interest in all the things he likes. She must study his tastes and preferences, and she must take an active interest in his business affairs and help him plan and devise. If she has tact, she will wisely direct him into the proper channel of thought without his ever suspecting it. We must be "wise as serpents and harmless as doves." She must prove herself a wise and true companion and confidante.

Thirdly, she must be a moral staff and guide. Men are not as delicate in their moral perceptions as women, and it is here that she can wield her greatest influence. She must take a stand for the right, come what may. She must have the courage to deem poverty rather than live upon the proceeds of ill-gotten gains. She must pine off all immoralities in her husband's character by her own precepts and example.

Fourthly, man's spiritual nature needs cultivation, and it is she who must do it. There is nothing so attractive as a well-rounded Christian character. If you possess this jewel, you have a power over your husband almost irresistible. Your exercise of patience, kindness, politeness, sweetness, cannot fail in influence. After all, Christian love is the essence of all true happiness.

"Love stoops to earth in service sweet, And foremost treads the golden street." The religion of Jesus Christ will make you lovable, and your husband, "seeing your good works, will glorify your Father, which is in heaven."

I believe these to be the fundamental principles which will enable us to keep our husbands at home, and if they fail there is nothing we can do but pray for them and murmur not, knowing that in "due season we shall reap if we faint not." M. L. T.

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Correspondence solicited concerning the purchase or sale of property in Salem. Personal attention given to all business entrusted to me, and full satisfaction guaranteed. dec22-tf

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

IN THE CITY OF ROANOKE.

As special commissioner of the Hustings court of the city of Roanoke, Virginia, in the chancery cause of J. W. Webb's administrator vs. J. B. Pollard, I shall sell on the premises, to the highest bidder, by public auction, at 10 o'clock a. m., on

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1890, all that certain lot or parcel of land in said proceedings mentioned, consisting of about 1 acre lying on the north-east corner of Salem avenue and Twenty-fifth street of the city of Roanoke, Va.

TERMS.—One-third of the purchase money cash, and the balance in two equal credit installments at six and twelve months from the day of sale, and the purchaser giving his negotiable notes for the credit installments, the title to the property to be retained until the full purchase money is paid, and a conveyance directed by the court.

J. ALLEN WATTS, Commissioner.

I. S. S. Brooke, clerk of the Hustings court of the city of Roanoke, Va., do hereby certify that the bond of \$600, required in the chancery cause of Webb's administrator vs. Pollard, has been given by the special commissioner, J. Allen Watts, with approved security.

Witness my hand this 6th day of January, 1890. S. S. BROOKE, Clerk.

Commissioners' Rental at Public Auction.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE entered at the June term, 1889, by the Corporation court for the City of Roanoke, Va., in the chancery cause styled J. A. Fay & Company vs. Bower & Taggle, the undersigned will, on Thursday, the 30th day of January, 1890, at 12 o'clock M., in front of the premises, at public auction, rent out to the highest bidder, for six months, that certain lot and comfortable dwelling-house on the north side of Salem avenue, in said city, described as follows: Beginning at a point 75 feet east from old Twenty-fifth street; thence north 125 feet to an alley, thence east 75 feet, thence south 145 feet to Salem avenue, thence west 75 feet to place of beginning. Being the same tenement in which E. Y. Taggle, one of said defendants, has a life estate.

Terms: The rental must be paid monthly in advance.

This is a very desirable residence property, favorably situated and in the most healthy part of the city.

THOS. W. MILLER, Commissioner.

I. S. S. Brooke, clerk of the Corporation court for the City of Roanoke, hereby certify that Thos. W. Miller has executed bond with security, as required by decree in above cause.

Given under my hand this 2nd day of January, 1890. S. S. BROOKE, Clerk.

GEO. W. LAMBERT,

—GENERAL—

Contractor and Builder.

Satisfactory work given. Box 93, Roanoke, Va.

References by permission: Planters' National Bank, Richmond, Va.; First National Bank of Roanoke, Va.; Col. W. E. Cutshaw, city engineer Richmond, Va.; Lewis H. Blair, capitalist, Richmond, Va.; J. F. T. Anderson, president Minnesota Iron Car company, Duluth, Minn.; Captain M. J. Dimmock, architect, Richmond, Va.; N. W. Bower, real estate agent, Richmond, Va.; J. P. Yancy, wholesale notion houses, Richmond, Va.; Warner Moore, wholesale merchant, Richmond, Va.; Robert E. Wendenburg, wholesale merchant, Richmond, Va.; Hon. H. S. Trout, president First national bank, Roanoke, Va. jan 5-1m

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jan8-3m CHARLES T. LUKENS, MANAGER

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